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In re Application of:

Docket No. 11302-0434 (44040-228114)

JAMES H. WANG ET AL.

Serial No. 09/629,678

Filed: August 1, 2000

For: BLEND COMPOSITIONS OF AN UNMODIFIED POLYVINYL ALCOHOL AND A  
THERMOPLASTIC ELASTOMERCommissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Arlington, VA 22313-1430  
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application.

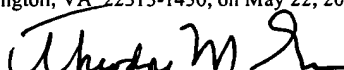
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- ☒ Preliminary Amendment.  
☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
☒ No additional fee is required.  
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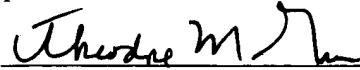
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TOTAL	33	MINUS	35=	0	x9	\$	x18	\$
INDEP.	3	MINUS	3=	0	x42	\$	x84	\$
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<input type="checkbox"/> MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS					+140	\$	+280	\$
TOTAL								
ADDITIONAL FEE						\$	\$0	

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is attached.  
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees required under 37 CFR §1.16, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-0855. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Responsive to the Request for Continued Examination filed April 14, 2003, Applicants request further examination in light of the following amendments and remarks which are believed to place the application in condition for allowance.

Please amend the application as follows:

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